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**REVIEW OF FINAL ACTION MEMORANDUM/REMOVAL ACTION
WORKPLAN FOR REMOVAL ACTION AT SITE 1, LAGOON LANDFILL
NAVAL AIR WEAPONS STATION, POINT MUGU, CALIFORNIA**

Dear Mr. Dawson:

We have reviewed the following documents for compliance with the requirements of the Removal Action Workplan in accordance to the California Health and Safety Code, Division 20, Chapter 6.8, Section 25323.1 and 25356.1(h)(1).

*Action Memorandum, Time Critical Removal Action for Site 1- Lagoon Landfill,
Naval Air Weapons Station Point Mugu, California, Final September 1996*

*Removal Action at Installation Restoration Program Sites 1, 4, 7, 9, and 11,
Naval Air Weapons Station, California, Final Work Plan, September 1996 (Note:
only Site 1 portion has been reviewed)*

The public comment period for the draft Action Memorandum, draft Work Plan along with the Mitigated Negative Declaration was conducted from August 3, 1996 to September 3, 1996. The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has responded to the comments received from the California Department of Transportation, California Department of Fish and Game, Santa Clara Valley River Chumash Turtle Clan, and the Santa Monica Bay Keeper. DTSC's response to comments is enclosed.

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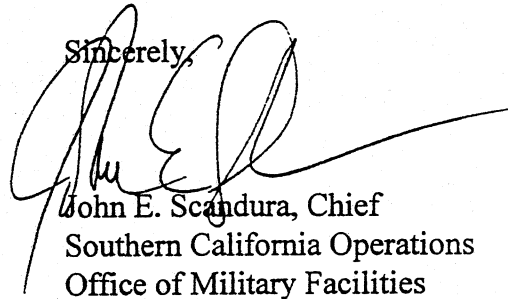
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The subject final documents satisfactorily incorporated our previous comments. We hereby concur with the proposed removal action at Site 1.

Upon completion of the removal action, please submit a removal action completion report which at a minimum describes the removal action performed including any field changes/deviations from the workplan, if any, rationale or approval received for such changes, the cost of each removal action, compliance with the removal action goal, and any work remaining to be done at the site.

Please contact Ms. Tizita Bekele at (310) 590-4981, if you have any questions concerning this matter.

Sincerely,



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